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The declaration filed 20 November 2007 is in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497.

The application has an International Filing Date under 35 U.S.C. 363 of <u>09 August 2004</u>, and a date under 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (c)(2), and (c)(4) of <u>20 November 2007</u>.

This application is being forwarded to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) for further processing in accordance with this communication.

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